

DECLARATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled IN-SITU POST-DEPOSITION OXIDATION TREATMENT FOR IMPROVED MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIA, the specification of which

☒ is attached hereto

☐ was filed on [case_filing_date] as Application Serial No. [case_serial_number] and was amended on (if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is known to me to be material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119(a)-(d) or Section 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or Section 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Applications(s):

Number	Country	Day/Month/Year filed	Priority Claimed
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 USC §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Prior Provisional Application(s):

Application Number	Filing Date
60/475,834	June 3, 2003

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120 of any United States application(s), or Section 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

Prior U.S. Application(s):

Serial No.

Filing Date

Status: Patented, Pending, Abandoned

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Full name of sole or first inventor: Chung-Hee Chang

Inventor's signature:

Chung-Hee Chang

Date: 9/10/03

Residence: Fremont, California

Citizenship: US

Post Office Address: 46910 Fernald Common, Fremont, CA 94539

Full name of second inventor: Charles F. Brucker

Inventor's signature:

Charles F. Brucker

Date: 9-10-03

Residence: Pleasanton, California

Citizenship: US

Post Office Address: 2639 Calle Reynoso, Pleasanton, CA 94566

Docket No.: 50103-527

PATENTS ONLY

To the Honorable Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereto:

1. Name of Conveying Party(ies):

Chung-Hee CHANG; Charles F. BRUCKER

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Nature of Conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name
☐ Other

Execution Date: September 10, 2003

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC

Address: 920 Disc Drive

P.O. Box 66360

Scotts Valley, CA 95067-0360

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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If the document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: September 10, 2003

A. Patent Application No(s).

B. Patent No(s).

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☐ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$40.00

- ☐ Enclosed
☒ Authorized to be charged to deposit account

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9. Statement and signature.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Aaron Weisstuch, 41,557



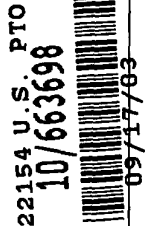
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Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS WE, CHUNG-HEE CHANG, and CHARLES F. BRUCKER, of 46910 Fernald Common, Fremont, California 94539, and 2639 Calle Reynoso, Pleasanton, California 94566, respectively, have made a certain new and useful invention as set forth in an application for United States Letters Patent, entitled IN-SITU POST-DEPOSITION OXIDATION TREATMENT FOR IMPROVED MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIA, executed by us on the date of execution of this document, as shown below, and filed concurrently herewith;

AND WHEREAS, SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC, a Limited Liability Company of the State of Delaware, and having an address of 920 Disc Drive, P. O. Box 66360, Scotts Valley, California 95067-0360 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States and foreign countries which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt for and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, We do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, including the right of priority and including any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisions, reissues, re-examinations or extensions thereof, and in and to any and all patents of the United States and foreign countries which may be issued for said invention;

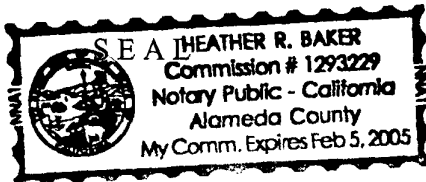
UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, We hereby agree with the said assignee that We will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that We will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining original, divisional, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States or of any and all foreign countries on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

AND We request the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

Date 9/10/03 Chung-Hee Chang
Date 9/10/03 Charles F. Brucker

STATE OF California)
COUNTY OF Alameda) SS:

On this 10 day of September, 2003, before me personally appeared Chung-Hee Chang, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

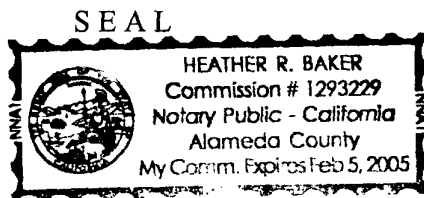


Heather R. Baker
Notary Public

My commission expires Feb 5, 2005

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